

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0010] of the published application with the following amended paragraph:

[0010] In view of the desired goals of the invention claimed herein, the bridge and adapter system for a bag-in-box packaging filler provides a quick connection between the supply line and the dispensing member in the bag-in-box packaging. This system comprises a bridge adapted to sit longitudinally across the box of the bag-in-box packaging. The bridge includes an ~~aperature~~ aperture adapted to support and secure the dispensing member of the bag-in-box packaging. The bridge further includes hold down tabs on its top side ~~adpated~~ adapted to engage, secure, and support an adapter through a rotatable collar situated on the lower end portion of said adapter. The rotatable collar preferably includes air vents which facilitate the escape of air in the bag-in-box while it is being displaced with other contents from the supply line. The upper end portion of the adapter includes a cam lock connector for connecting the supply line.

Please replace paragraph [0018] of the published application with the following amended paragraph:

[0018] More specifically and now turning to FIGS. 2-5, the upper end of the adapter 2 includes a male cam lock connector 14 in order to provide quick connection between the supply line 4 and adapter 2. The bridge 10 is supported by the box 11 by being placed longitudinally across the box 11 of the bag-in-box packaging. The bridge 10 includes an aperture 18 having a larger open section 20a and a smaller open section 20b opening into each other. The periphery of the larger open section 20a is greater than that of the smaller open section 20b. The aperture 18 can be generally situated in the center of the bridge 10.

Please replace the abstract paragraph [0025] with the following amended paragraph:

[0025] A bridge and adapter system for a bag-in-box packaging filler is shown to include an adapter providing a quick connection between the supply line and the dispensing member of the bag-in-box packaging. A bridge is adapted to sit longitudinally across the box of the bag-in-box packaging and is adapted to engage with both the adapter and the dispensing member of the bag-in-box packaging in order to provide support of the adapter and dispensing member, therein. The adapter includes air vents which facilitate the escape of air in the bag-in-box while it is being displaced with other contents from the supply line. The upper end portion of the adapter includes a cam lock connector for connecting the supply line.